



Friday 4 March 2016

Attendance Percentage: Week Ending Friday 4 March 2016:

FAL	COBER	LERRYNYN	HELFFORD	KENWYNYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
97.1	97	96	95.6	96	94.2	96.3

Attendance to date:

FAL	COBER	LERRYNYN	HELFFORD	KENWYNYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
94.91	97.63	96.05	97.49	97.77	96.85	97.90

Current whole school attendance: 96.97%

Dear Parents/Carers

First of all 'Thank you' for your very positive response to the Multi Academy Trust letter that was sent home on Monday. We have put a huge amount of effort into getting this right for our school and community. If you have any queries at all please come along to the meeting on Thursday 10th March at 4pm and the Governors and I will try to answer your questions. If you can't make that meeting then please feel free to talk to myself or the Governors on the gate in the morning or call in for a quick chat when I'm around.

Yesterday we celebrated World Book Day. Thanks to Miss Paine for an excellent assembly. The children participated in a competition and they all have a voucher to obtain a free book so happy reading!

In addition to our MAT meeting, next week is incredibly busy: On Monday we wish Oscar Haywood well in Round 2 of the Truro High School Bake Off Competition - this time he has to prepare muffins but in a 'live' kitchen situation rather than bringing them in! On Thursday evening Tresillian Class are performing Ocean Commotion at 7pm at the Princess Pavilion - this has been another amazing opportunity and promises to be a great show. Tickets are still available from Hall for Cornwall so don't miss out!! Lastly on Friday we welcome our MP George Eustice. He is visiting over lunchtime and will be chatting to the children and staff. If you have any educational issues that you wish to be brought to his attention please let us know by Friday. A last reminder also for anyone wishing to take part in the Spring Festival at Princess Pavilion - closing date for entries is Sunday 13th March so please get your entry forms and details from the office if you wish to participate. Best wishes, Helen Bancroft.

SPORTS **New club possibility: Archery:** There is a possibility of running an archery club in the summer term. It will cost £3 per week and an up-front payment of £30 will need to be paid if you would like your child to take part. Please let Mrs Beswick or Mrs G know if you have a child who is interested in this so we can decide if it is viable or not.

Cross country: On Monday 7th our team of qualifying runners will all need to be at Pool Academy for 4pm. Please leave school with your child at 2.45 to ensure you get parked and find Mrs Ange Walker from Penryn College when you get there. Mrs G has a picture of the course which most children have looked at and discussed just in case there isn't time to walk round once you arrive. Good luck to all our competitors: Olivia G, Kaiden, Sam, Barney CG, Ronan, Leo, Oli W, Sarah, Maya, David, Eiger, Edward, Jessica and Harry R.

Hockey League: Well done team for great play on Wednesday against Kennall Vale with a 3-0 win and a 1-1 draw with Mabe. A huge thanks to our drivers: Mrs Martin, Mr Vincent and to Mrs Haywood and Mrs Barras for driving and supervising the children in Mrs G's absence. Next week we have one match against Mylor 1. If anyone can/can't help with driving then please let Mrs G know on Monday or by email.

Cornwall School Games 2016: At the end of this month we have to enter children into the Aquathlon event which involves a 200m swim and cross country run. If any children are keen to enter please let Mrs G know.

COBER CLASS NEWQUAY ZOO VISIT

Cober class will be visiting Newquay Zoo on Thursday 10 March. Please return permission slips asap. Children will need a packed lunch, drink, school uniform and warm waterproof coats.

MATHLETICS: Well done to:

Andrew Roberts Tamar	2286
Ethan Jorey Tamar	1270
Cian Mossop Kenwyn	1190
Fleur Campbell Tamar	1080
Harry Drewett Tamar	1050

Dear Parents of children in Lerryn Class: Advance notice about our trip to Penrose Estate for Stone Age house building...Please be in full school uniform, waterproof clothing and wellies (you can use school ones of course!), and bring a packed lunch, drink and snack. We recommend waterproof trousers if you have them. CAR SEATS (booster or full-backed, depending on height) are required on the day, please. *LUNCH: The school kitchen will provide school lunches. If you would prefer to provide a meal for your child, please let us know on the form. We need at least one adult to please stay with the class for the duration of the visit. We also need an adult to join us at Penrose from 12.00pm please. THANK YOU!

CHANGE OF MENU On Monday 7 March we are having pasties for lunch (meat and vegetarian) to celebrate St Piran's Day.

LERRYN CLASS EXHIBITION Parents and friends are warmly invited to enjoy and share our learning this term from 2.15pm on Monday 21st March.

KENWYN/HELDFORD - FARM TRIP TO WADEBRIDGE

We will leave school at 8am sharp on Tuesday 8 March for the trip to Wadebridge Showground so please make sure the children are in at **7.55am**. Children will need a packed lunch, drink, school uniform and warm waterproof coat. We will be back in school at approx. 3.30pm.

TAMAR TRIP TO FLAMBARDS

Tamar class are going to Flambards as part of their school topic on Tuesday 8 March. They will leave school at 9.30am and be back by 3.15pm. Children will need a packed lunch, drink, school uniform and warm waterproof coat. The trip costs £5; please take to the school bank on Tuesday morning.

SAILING

Sailing starts again on 18 April and interested children in years 4, 5 and 6 have been given a letter. Mrs Pascoe our HRCST coordinator will follow this up with more information and permission slips.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB We are looking to ask The Imaging Partnership to run a photography club after school on a Tuesday in the summer term for KS2 at a cost of £24 for 6 sessions. The workshops they do are designed to be practical, informal and fun whilst covering different aspects of photography for the pupils (i.e.: composition, landscapes, portraits, fine art photography). They will complete a different topic each week (e.g. 'My friends and I' or 'The World around us') and we incorporate the technical aspects into the fun sessions. It sounds great and may inspire a new hobby. Last week only brought 2 expressions of interest but it will not run without 15 names so please see Mrs Beswick **this week** if you are interested.

COOSE TRANNACK CROSS COUNTRY RACES

Trannack cross country races are taking place on Saturday 19 March 2016. If you are interested in entering as an individual please pick up details from the office.

SPORT RELIEF FUND RAISER The Kids Council have organised a fundraiser for Friday 18 March. Children can wear their favourite sports kit all day and we will be running a mile for Sport Relief. Please bring in a donation. Many thanks.

'HOW LONG WILL I LOVE YOU'.....

A play by written by Kerry Vincent is being performed at the Tolmen Centre on 11/12 March at 7.30pm. Tickets from Kerry or village shops, proceeds towards Constantine Defibrillator funds.

TWINNING CAFÉ AND FAYRE

Having a Spring Clearout?
Why not bag a table for £10 at the Twinning Cafe & Fayre at The Tolmen Centre on Saturday 19th March, or donate items for the Twinning bric-a-brac/book/fabric/toy stall.
Call Maggie Mackenzie on 01326 340022 or eMail me on maggie.mackenzie@me.com.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

7 March	Cross Country Pool Academy 4pm
8 March	Helford/Kenwyn Farm Day, Wadebridge
8 March	Tamar class to Flambards
10 March	Cober class to Newquay Zoo
10 March	Tresillian singing at Princess Pavilions
10 March	Parent's meeting re Cornerstone MAT
11 March	Visit to school by George Eustice
15 March	Lerryn class to Penrose Estate
16 March	'Laika the Space dog' Opera, pm
18 March	Sport Relief fund raiser
18 March	Indian Dance workshops and assembly
19 March	Twinning Café and Fayre, Tolmen Centre
23 March	Change of Menu to Fish and Chips
23 March	Break up for Easter holidays at 3.15pm
11 April	Back to school
18 April	HRCST sailing starts
22 April	Swimathon
22 April	KS1 Festival 1-2.30pm
25 April	Beach safety talks
6 May	Yr 5/6 tag rugby festival 11.30-2.30pm
9-13	SATS week
25-27 May	Year 3/4 camp
27 May	Break up for half term
6 June	Back to school after half term

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY - FLOWERS
COURTESY OF MR & MRS SCRIMSHAW**

Thank you.